Request for Applications (RFA)

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University of Wisconsin – Madison

T32: Health Disparities Research Scholars Training Program
An interdisciplinary research training program sponsored by the National Institutes of Health
Eunice Kennedy Shiver National Institutes of Child Health and Human Development

Application Deadline: March 1, 2014

The T32 Health Disparities Research Scholars (HDRS) Training program funds five postdoctoral scholars per year for up to three years. The HDRS training is designed to provide training at the postdoctoral levels in interdisciplinary research that addresses health equity and/or disparities in health status and health outcomes. The program will have three years left on its renewal.

The HDRS Training Program provides interdisciplinary and multifaceted opportunities for research, including:
- Biomedical and behavioral sciences
- Investigation into quality of care, including cost, access and satisfaction with services
- Investigation into the causes of and barriers to reducing health disparities
- Individual- and community-centered factors, including attitudes toward health, languages spoken, socioeconomic status and community profiles
- Identification of assessment measures for outcomes, quality and appropriateness of health care services

Eligibility Requirements:
- Must have received, as of the beginning date of the NRSA appointment, a Ph.D., M.D., D.D.S., or comparable doctoral degree from an accredited domestic or foreign institution, including but not limited to the following: D.M.D., D.C., D.O., D.V.M., O.D., D.P.M., Sc.D., Eng.D., Dr. P.H., D.N.Sc., D.P.T., Pharm.D., N.D. (Doctor of Naturopathy), D.S.W., Psy.D, as well as a doctoral degree in nursing research.
- Able to devote full-time effort in research related activities for a minimum of 2 years and a maximum of 3 years to this T32 training program.
- Research must involve health disparities or health in underserved populations.
- Have had no more than one prior year of Kirschstein-NRSA support at the postdoctoral level, including any combination of Kirschstein-NRSA support from institutional research training grants and individual fellowships.
- An NRSA appointment may not be held concurrently with another federally sponsored fellowship, traineeship, or similar Federal award that provides a stipend or otherwise duplicates provisions of the NRSA.
- Scholars must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

Interested? Find more information about the Center for Women’s Health and Health Disparities Research T32 Program and how to apply at obgyn.wisc.edu/CWHDR/

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